

Lt. Shaner Now Flying on Combat Duty

Second Lieutenant Eugene C. Shaner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Shaner, 1022 Crenshaw Blvd., Torrance, Calif., copilot on a B-24 Liberator, has arrived overseas and now is flying combat missions in the Mediterranean theater.

Lt. Shaner is assigned to a veteran Liberator group which has participated in major attacks on enemy aircraft factories, oil refineries and other strategic targets of Austria, Germany, Rumania, Italy and France.

Lt. Shaner entered the army on Jan. 12, 1943. He was commissioned at George Field, Ill., last December. A graduate of Torrance High school, Lt. Shaner was apprentice pattern maker for Columbia Steel before his enlistment.

SERVICE SHORTS



WALTER BUNJE... a lieutenant, serving with the A.A.C.S., has been transferred from Hill Field, Ogden, Utah, to Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemont, Mich., where he will take a course of instruction. Mrs. Bunje will remain in Ogden pending her husband's return. She has accepted a civil service position with the payroll division of the U. S. Army Service Command.

CAROLINE DELANO... has received a medical discharge from the WAC. Recently stationed at Camp Forrest, Tenn., and now in a civilian position as a PDX operator at Port MacArthur Army Base, Miss Delano spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Delano, 2555 Sonoma ave.



SHORE BASED... Joseph Van Kralingen, a seaman, 1/c, who, after serving in Hawaii for one year and for more than eight months aboard a PC boat, is stationed at Wilmington U.S.C.G. base and is working at his former trade as a printer. He began his career as printer in the Torrance Herald composing room, following completion of a course at Frank Wiggins Trade school, and worked at a Los Angeles shop until he entered naval service. His subservice was limited to Pacific waters and his assignments were in convoy duty. He reports his first enemy action came early Christmas morning, 1943, and his second was in January, '44.



TO TOW GLIDERS... 2nd Lt. Ben R. Prime of 1828 Cabrillo st., Torrance, has been assigned to the First Troop Carrier Command after receiving his wings in the Army Air Forces and is now continuing his ground school and flying training at Bergstrom Field, Austin, Tex.

Lt. Fairless Is Engaged to Wed Caroline Sproul

Mr. and Mrs. John Roach Sproul of Philadelphia have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Caroline Sproul, to Lt. Blaine F. Fairless, U.S.N.R., son of Benjamin F. Fairless, president of U. S. Steel Corporation.

Miss Sproul is the granddaughter of the late William Cameron Sproul, former governor of Pennsylvania, and granddaughter of Dr. H. D. Hatfield, former governor of West Virginia and former U. S. Senator from the same state. She is also the great-great-granddaughter of John Roach, founder of the Roach Shipyards, Chester, Pa., who in 1883 contracted to build the first steel ships in America for the U. S. Navy. She is a graduate of the Shipley School, Bryn Mawr, Pa.

Lt. Fairless was educated at Culver Military Academy and after graduating from Massachusetts Institute of Technology attended the Babson School of Business Administration in Boston.

Lt. Fairless has been on active duty in the South Pacific for a year. No date has been set for the wedding, but it is expected to take place in the near future.

Lt. Shepherd Back on Duty

2nd Lt. Robert H. Shepherd, 23, who while assigned to Southern California met and married Charlene Weddington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Weddington, 2446 W. 256th st., is mentioned in recent dispatches as having been wounded in action but, according to his wife, the Missourian is back on duty.

Mrs. Shepherd reported the young officer suffered chest and knee wounds from a machine-gun in Italy after four months in the Anzio sector, but is now recovered and is attached to a headquarters unit.

Shepherd was commissioned a year ago at Fort Benning, Ga., and went overseas seven months ago. He formerly lived at Maysville, Mo.

Pfc W. A. Barnett Training With F. A. Pack Unit

PFC William A. Barnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barnett, 2007 Andreo st., Torrance, Calif., is now in training with Battery A, 611th F. A. Bn (Pack) at Camp Carson, Colo. Before entering the service he worked with the national forest service. He has a brother, Willard A. Barnett, in the Navy.

The pack artillery units are some of the most colorful in the Army. In the first place a man must be a hardy fellow who is at least five feet ten inches tall, over 160 pounds in weight and under 30 years of age. The men are selected for their patience and understanding of animals and for physical endurance. Tall men are needed to lift the loads up high and set them down on the backs of the mules and long legs are handy for the four or five mile pace kept by the units when on a march.

The combination of sturdy mules carrying powerful 75 mm. howitzer guns, and hardy men makes an unbeatable team. Once the mules have carried the guns over rough territory into the position needed, it takes the men only a few minutes to unload and assemble the guns and have them ready for action.

In the jungles of the South Pacific, the hills of Tunisia and mountains of Italy, the Army pack mule has proved his worth. Many times the only thing that could get supplies through to the men was the pack mule.

R. F. Armstrong Graduates from Naval Training

Among those graduating from an intensive course of machinist's mate training at recent service school exercises at Great Lakes, Ill., was Robert Francis Armstrong, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Armstrong, 20910 Margaret st., Torrance.

This bluejacket was selected for his specialized training on the basis of his recent training aptitude test scores. Graduates from the 20 specialized courses taught at the service school are sent to sea, to shore stations, or to advanced schools, for active duty or further training.

CHARLES H. OLSEN... an F. C. 3/c, U.S.N., surprised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Olsen of Lomita with a visit Thursday evening. He is now stationed at Long Beach.

ROBERT K. SMITH... a seaman, 2/c, has returned from Farragut, Idaho, following a ten days' leave with his wife Dorris and daughter Sandra of 1226 Beech ave., and other relatives and friends here.

KENNETH A. PERKIN... an apprentice seaman, a student at officers' training school, College of the Pacific, Stockton, enjoyed a weekend visit with his mother and other relatives here.

PAUL HARESTAD... a motor machinist mate, 1/c, has returned from 21 months' duty in the South Pacific and following a leave with his wife Jo, their baby, and his mother, will leave for a course of specialized training. In a recent letter to his mother, who lives at 2016 Gramercy ave., he stated: "Mother, you don't know how much I have enjoyed reading the Torrance Herald. Not only I, but all the boys in my unit read every single word of each issue."

RAYMOND SHAFER... has been promoted to first lieutenant.

E. R. (REGGIE) TRELOAR... returned Sunday to Farragut Naval Training Base following a 15 days' leave with his wife, Marjorie, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Treloar of 1908 Andreo ave.

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WILLIAM MIDDLETON... a hospital corpsman, 1/c, stationed at San Diego Naval Hospital, spent the weekend here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Middleton.

LEROY E. PECKER... an ensign, in a letter to his mother, Mrs. Hollis Toler of 1828 Andreo ave., advised her of his recent appendectomy at a Charleston Naval Hospital.

INDIANA PICNIC
Charles A. Wilson, president of the Indiana State Society, announces to all Hoosiers that Lt. Gov. Frederick H. Houser will be the speaker at the all day reunion July 30, 1944, in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles.

CLIFFORD E. RUPPEL... a communications sergeant, has arrived at a South Pacific base, according to his wife, Winifred.

TORRANCE Bus Schedules

Daily Schedule		Sunday Schedule
Leave Torrance for Los Angeles	Leave Los Angeles for Torrance	Leave Torrance for Los Angeles
6:00 a.m.	5:00 a.m.	5:00 a.m.
6:40 a.m.	A7:10 a.m.	A7:10 a.m.
A8:10 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
A9:30 a.m.	12:45 p.m.	12:45 p.m.
A7:20 a.m.	6:30 a.m.	A3:25 p.m.
	A7:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
	8:15 a.m.	9:05 p.m.
	9:30 a.m.	A11:30 p.m.
	11:00 a.m.	Leave Los Angeles
12:35 p.m.		10th & Hill for Torrance
1:35 p.m.	12:45 p.m.	
A2:30 p.m.	A1:40 p.m.	
A3:25 p.m.	A2:45 p.m.	A5:50 a.m.
A4:40 p.m.	A3:45 p.m.	9:15 a.m.
A5:15 p.m.	5:00 p.m.	10:55 a.m.
	5:30 p.m.	A1:40 p.m.
	6:15 p.m.	4:25 p.m.
	8:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
9:10 p.m.	A10:00 a.m.	A10:00 p.m.
A11:30 p.m.	12:30 a.m.	T12:30 a.m.

TORRANCE Municipal Bus Lines

Maurice Fyfe Is Promoted to Sergeant

The promotion of Maurice B. Fyfe from the grade of corporal to sergeant was announced recently "somewhere in England" by the Commanding General of the AAF Eighth Fighter Command. He is the son of Robert Fyfe, 1723 Gramercy st., and was employed by International Derrick and Equipment Co., Torrance. He attended Torrance High school.

Sergeant Fyfe, who entered the Army in July, 1942, is a radio mechanic with a P-38 Lightning group, whose planes are escorting heavy bombers and engaged in fighter-bombing and strafing operations behind German lines. He has been in England for nine months.

R. E. Shaffer, Jr., Is Promoted to 1st Lieutenant

Orders promoting him to the rank of 1st lieutenant were received recently by Lt. Raymond E. Shaffer, Jr., son of Raymond E. Shaffer, 323 E. 200th st., Torrance, Calif. Lieutenant Shaffer is link trainer officer for the Harvard, Neb., Army Air Field, a Second Air Force heavy bombardment training installation. His wife is Mrs. Edith Bernice Shaffer, Portland, Ore.

After serving with the U. S. Coast Guard for three years, two of them in Alaska, Lt. Shaffer entered the air forces. Most of his training was at California air fields. He won his commission as a 2nd lieutenant at Stockton Field and later received four-engine training at Roswell, N. M.

Before entering the service, Lt. Shaffer was an electrical draftsman for the Roberts Engineering Co., Corpus Christi, Texas.

WALLACE L. WRONEN... seaman, 2/c, U.S.N., serving in the South Pacific, and formerly a member of the class of winter 1945 at Torrance High school, says he is going home and has learned a great deal during his five months in the U. S. Navy.

GRAY VER JONES... seaman, 1/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Jones, 1552 Post ave., is home on leave until Aug. 4. He has been studying radio at Wright College, Ill., and has been assigned to further study in radio materiel at the U. S. Naval Yard, Mare Island, Calif.

GEORGE W. SHIDLER... a private, 1/c, U.S.M.C., has arrived at a South Pacific base, where he is serving in an administrative position.

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Canterbury Tea Fancy Black pkg. 1/4-lb. 22¢	
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POTATOES New, White Rose variety, 10 lbs. 36¢	BELL PEPPERS Fresh, add spicy flavor to salad. lb. 14¢
FRESH APRICOTS Fill the fruit bowl. Delicious. lb. 10¢	FRESH CELERY Crisp, green Utah type. By weight lb. 12 1/2¢
LARGE TOMATOES Firm, ripe. Slice for salads. lb. 12 1/2¢	STRING BEANS Tender, crisp Kentucky Wonder. lb. 12 1/2¢

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Certo Deal Fruit Pectin (Single bottle, 19c) 3 bottles for 41¢	

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Corn Del Monte Brand Whole Kernel—golden corn 16-oz. size 15¢	Spinach Hernal Brand, No. 2 1/2 lb. 16¢
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